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Case No. 7103/30

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Homayoun Talieh et al.

Serial No: 08/853,323

Examiner: G. Nguyen

Filed: May 8, 1997

Group Art Unit: 3723

For: LINEAR POLISHER  
AND METHOD FOR  
SEMICONDUCTOR  
WAFER  
PLANARIZATION

### PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to Office Action dated August 5, 1998 for a period of 1 month(s).

- ☒ Applicant is:
- ☐ a small entity, verified statement is:
- ☐ attached
- ☐ already filed
- ☒ other than small entity

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<u>Extension Months</u>	<u>Other Than Small Entity</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One Month	\$110	\$55
<input type="checkbox"/> Two Months	\$380	\$190
<input type="checkbox"/> Three Months	\$870	\$435
<input type="checkbox"/> Four Months	\$1,360	\$680
<input type="checkbox"/> Five Months	\$1,850	\$925

**Fee Payment**

- ☒ Attached is a check for 110 for the Petition fee.
- ☐ Charge Petition fee to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.
- ☒ Charge any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.

Respectfully submitted,



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Dated: December 7, 1998

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